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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:
Tatu YLONEN et al.

Appl. No. 10/020,299

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For: APPLICATION GATEWAY
SYSTEM, AND METHOD FOR
MAINTAINING SECURITY IN A
PACKET-SWITCHED
INFORMATION NETWORK

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Examiner: Jeffrey D. Popham

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AMENDMENT AND REPLY

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

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Introductory Comments

In reply to the Non-final Office Action dated September 27, 2005, Applicants submit the following.

- **Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 and are reflected in the listing of the claims.
- **Remarks** begin on page 31.

No additional fees are believed to be required. However, if the Office deems that any fees are necessary, authorization is hereby granted to charge any required fees to Deposit Account No. 22-0261.